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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Col. 1, lines 4-9 DELETE

"This is a continuation of application Ser. No. 08/440,644, filed on May 15, 1995, entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TRIMLESS SAMPLE CUP USED IN X-RAY SPECTROSCOPY now abandoned which is a Continuation-in-part of prior application Ser. No. 08/292,058, filed on Aug. 17, 1994, now 5,451,375, issued Sep. 19, 1995."

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